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## SCHEDULE ENFORCEMENT POWERS

### *Entry and associated powers*

- 6 The power to seize an animal or vehicle under [paragraph 4\(b\)](#) or [5\(2\)\(b\)](#) may only be exercised—
- (a) where the animal or vehicle is in the possession or control of a person who the constable has reasonable grounds for suspecting has committed or is committing a relevant offence, and
  - (b) where the constable considers it appropriate to seize the animal or vehicle for the purposes of—
    - (i) enabling the animal or vehicle to be used in proceedings for a relevant offence, or
    - (ii) enabling the animal or vehicle to be forfeited in accordance with Part 2 of the Proceeds of Crime (Scotland) Act 1995.

#### **Commencement Information**

- I1** Sch. para. 6 not in force at Royal Assent, see [s. 31\(2\)](#)
- I2** Sch. para. 6 in force at 3.10.2023 by [S.S.I. 2023/262](#), [reg. 2](#)

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